

NEW SUBMARINES OF U. S. NAVY ARE FOUND DEADLIER

Latest Undersea Craft Are More Durable, Better Divers, Navy Men Concur—Crews Are Reduced.

SAN DIEGO, Cal. (UP)—Submarines, capable of diving to a depth of 600 feet with safety—far deeper than any other such craft ever constructed—have given the U. S. navy the most deadly undersea fighters in the world, it is believed here.

A newly developed, highly resistant metal makes possible the greater diving depth of the new craft, and at the same time allows construction of submarines considerably smaller in actual size but decidedly more effective.

These facts were revealed here when the U. S. S. Tarpon, newest member of the navy's submarine force, docked here to join the flotilla of grim-looking, ebony hued fighters.

Heretofore no submarine has been capable of descending to a depth of much more than 300 or 400 feet with safety. Although the Tarpon and sister ships, now under construction, or undergoing final tests, never have descended to a 600-foot depth, officers and men aboard the craft are confident they could withstand such a dive "if necessity required."

Quarter Inch Hulls
The newly developed metal, with its greater tensile strength and higher degree of durability, has made it possible to construct the new fleet-type submarines with a hull only one-quarter of an inch thick compared to two inches necessary with former types steel, it was said.

Although the 500-foot length is considerably less than that of the U. S. S. Nautilus, which boasts of outstanding performance records, the U. S. S. Tarpon is even more efficient than the larger craft, and carries a considerably smaller crew.

A crew of 80 men and five officers operate the Tarpon. Numerous newly developed automatic controls make the reduction in personnel possible, according to Lieut. J. O'Shea, engineering officer of the submarine. Details of the new metal as well as the controls are closely guarded navy secrets.

Smaller size has not made the Tarpon prey to heavy seas, and "rainy as stable as an ocean liner," Lieut. O'Shea said, in commenting on the cruising ability of the craft, which recently completed the long voyage from the east coast alone.

Six other submarines, of the Tarpon class, now are nearing completion—the Perch, Plunger, Pickrel, Pompano, Pollack and Permit. Another six will be completed during the fiscal year starting July 1—the Salmon, Seal, Shipjack, Snapper, Stingray and Sturgeon.

Silent on Defects
Officers aboard the Tarpon refused to discuss reports carried in the Army and Navy Register, a semi-official publication, which told of mechanical defects uncovered in the generators of the main propelling plant of their vessel, and three sister subs, the Sharp, Porpoise and Pike.

It was said discovery of these defects, during shakedown cruises and trial runs would keep the new submarines on a reduced operating status until they are overcome.

The submarines Cachalot and Cuttlefish, now are in the Mare Island navy yard, undergoing overhauling prior to being re-engined during June.

During the fiscal year 1938 the submarine force of the navy will be increased to 48 undersea fighters, it was said, the majority of which are comparatively new, modern, and among the most powerful craft of their type in the world.

Assayer Named
BAKER, July 28.—(AP)—Leslie L. Motz of Bisbee, Ariz., has been appointed as assayer for the Baker laboratory to be established by the state department of geology and mineral industries. He is expected to report for duty here about July 30.

Pioneer Dies
WALLA WALLA, July 28.—(AP)—An early day resident of both Walla



HELLO JOE.
With these menacing mitts as his passport and ticket, Tommy Farr, England's heavyweight champion and pride, came west to seek his fortune against Champ Joe Louis. He impressed New Yorkers with his confidence and hard-boiled appearance.

Walla and Gilliam counties, Mrs. Huldah McKinney, 95, died last night at the home of a daughter, Mrs. W. T. Solvester, Bialock, Ore. She was a sister of the late Dr. N. R. Bialock, pioneer Walla Walla physician.

Use Mail Tribune want ads.

BIDS ARE OPENED ON LASSEN PARK PROJECT

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.—(UP)—Bids totaling nearly one million dollars were opened Tuesday by the federal bureau of public roads for road and bridge construction in Shasta county, Cal.

Low bidders on the grading of a portion of the Lassen Volcanic park—Mt. Shasta City highway were: A. Teichert & Son, Inc., Sacramento, \$112,555.90; E. L. Gates, Trail, Ore., \$114,892.50; and Hemstreet and Bell, Marysville, Cal., \$115,450.70.

The low bidder on construction of a bridge across Lake Britton reservoir as a part of the highway, was C. J. Montag and Son, Portland, Ore., with a bid of \$191,222.00.

GALENTO TECHNICALS AL ETTORE IN EIGHTH

NUTLEY, N. J., July 28.—(UP)—Tony (Nightstick) Galento, Orange, N. J., technically knocked out Al Ettore, Philadelphia in the eighth heat of their scheduled 12-rounder last night.

Outweighing Ettore by 41 pounds, Galento won every round. He floored Ettore for no count in the third after opening an old cut over the Philadelphia's left eye with a left hook in the second.

STATE DISPENSERS SELECT OFFICERS

Portland, July 28.—(AP)—Oregon food and beverage dispensers, ending their convention here, elected Connie J. Grabb of Baker president to succeed Ernest H. Ebel of Portland.

Grabb was instructed to meet with the state liquor commission at the earliest opportunity in an effort to ameliorate "existing conditions."

The commission's policies and actions in the regulation of beer and wines was criticized by convention speakers.

Other new officers included Tom Holman, Salem, first vice-president, and Wesley Brooks, Grants Pass, executive committee member.

STRONGEST CHILD IS VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA

DARTFORD, England, July 28.—(UP)—John Chillard, three, who was called "the strongest child in the world," died today of bronchial pneumonia. Four feet tall and the son of a professional weight lifter, John was able to lift a 56-pound weight with one hand.

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

FIFTEEN MEET DEATH IN BURNING AIRLINER

AMSTERDAM, July 28.—(AP)—Fifteen persons, three of them identified by airline attaches as Americans, died today in the flaming plunge of a Netherlands airliner at Hal, Belgium.

The airline identified the Americans as "Whitehouse, Canton and Goldbloom," and said it had no other information about them at present.

The transport, a Douglas, crashed in flames after an explosion in mid-air. Its 10 passengers and four crew members, including a stewardess, were killed instantly.

The ship left Amsterdam at 9:20 a. m. and crashed on a flight to Paris.

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Home-Made Coffin Finally Put To Use

EUGENE, July 28.—(P)—About 11 years ago C. E. Miller, Harrisburg, dissatisfied with the coffin furnished for his housekeeper when she died, built his own casket and kept it on display on his front porch preparatory to his own death.

Sunday evening he died at the age of 91 years and the coffin he had built was used in his burial. It was made of soft wood and painted a slate gray. Miller was a contractor and builder and had constructed many mills in Oregon. He had lived in Harrisburg for 12 years.

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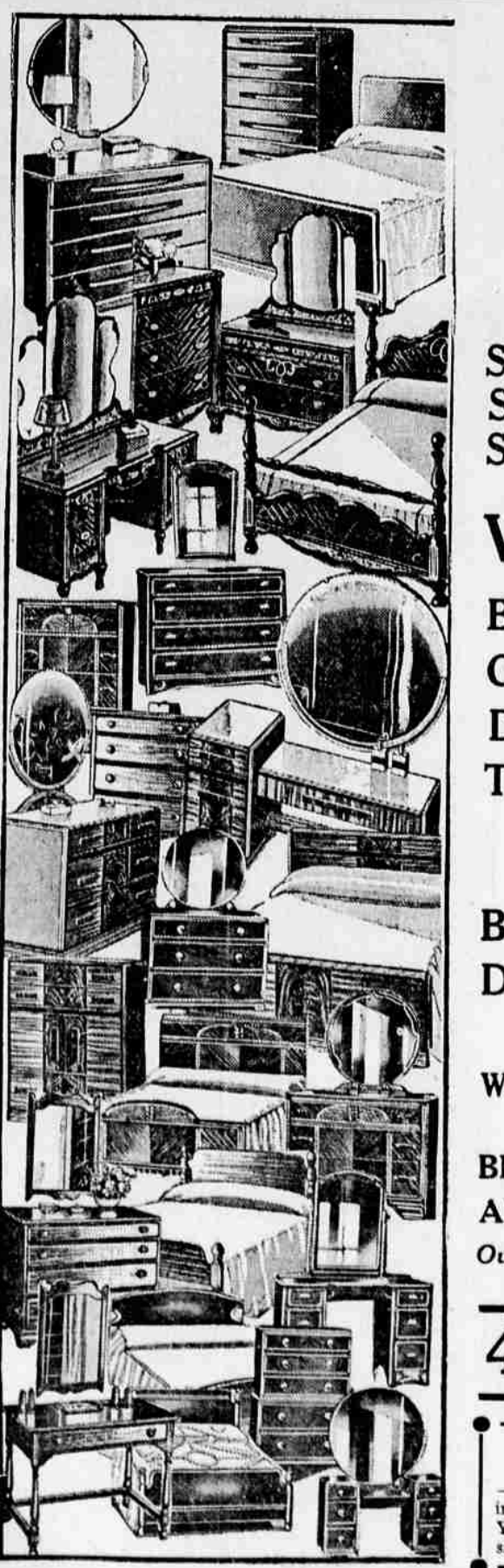
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